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COLLATED ROAD MARKER ASSEMBLY, AND SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AUTOMATICALLY APPLYING COLLATED ROAD MARKERS TO

ROADWAY SURFACES

THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS & TRADEMARKS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified patent application.

- \_\_\_ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- \_\_\_ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed herewith.
- \_x No additional fee is required.

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## AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In connection with the above-identified patent application, and in response to the outstanding office action dated July 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: